

The Honorable John A. McCono
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Dear John:

I acknowledge your letter of 4 October and trust that your recent European trip afforded you some pleasure.

Your letter contained resumes of two candidates being considered as full-time Committee staff officers for the Advisory Committee on Disarmament. Shortly after receipt of your letter, Mr. A. M. Christopher of ACDA forwarded to me an additional three resumes with the statement that you had asked that these also be called to my attention. The ACDA letter was a little ambiguous as to whether they were also forwarding the resumes directly to you; and I have, therefore, included copies of them for you.

I trust you will understand that we would have some difficulty in taking a position or offering a comment on proposed staff officers for the Advisory Committee on Disarmament. A review of the background of the five resumes furnished us indicates that their education and work experience to date should equip them to make a constructive contribution to the work of the Committee.

As the newspapers quite clearly indicate, these are rather busy days for us. We have all adjusted well to the recent transition in Government and remain optimistic in the discharge of our responsibilities.

With warm personal regards.

Sincerely,

W. E. Colby
Director

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